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COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA

STATE CORPORATION COMMISSION

AT RICHMOND, DECEMBER 14, 2001

APPLICATION OF

TELIGENT OF VIRGINIA, INC.

CASE NO. PUC010245

For Emergency Authority to
Discontinue Local Exchange
Telecommunications Services

ORDER DISCONTINUING LOCAL EXCHANGE SERVICE

On November 15, 2001, Teligent of Virginia, Inc. ("Teligent" or the "Company"), filed an application with the State Corporation Commission ("Commission") requesting Commission approval to discontinue its provision of local exchange telecommunications services to its business customers in northern Virginia.¹ In its application, Teligent requests an effective date of December 15, 2001, for discontinuing its local exchange telecommunications services. Teligent represents that it is currently in Chapter 11 and has very limited financial resources, stating that its "current financial resources enable its northern Virginia operations to continue only for the next

¹ The northern Virginia area represents all remaining Teligent local exchange customers. Northern Virginia customers are included in Teligent's District of Columbia market area. Previously, by Orders issued May 15, and May 22, 2001, Teligent was granted authority to discontinue the provision of local exchange telecommunications services in the Richmond Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area, Case No. PUC010112. All of Teligent's subscribers are business customers. Once the northern Virginia local customers are disconnected from service, Teligent will no longer provide local exchange telecommunications services in Virginia.

30 days. . . ." Teligent did not request that its local certificate of public convenience and necessity ("CPCN") be canceled.² The Company states that it intends to continue to provide other services in Virginia and remains hopeful that, at the conclusion of its Chapter 11 reorganization, the Company or its successor will be in a position to rebuild in Virginia.

Teligent serves approximately 60 local exchange business customers in northern Virginia. The Company stated that it notified each affected customer on two separate occasions of the proposed discontinuance of service.³ On December 12, 2001, Teligent provided a status report on its remaining customers in northern Virginia to the Commission's Division of Communications.

NOW THE COMMISSION, being sufficiently advised, will grant the requested discontinuance of service.

Accordingly, IT IS ORDERED THAT:

(1) This matter is docketed and assigned Case No. PUC010245.

(2) Teligent is hereby granted authority, effective December 15, 2001, to cease its local exchange operations in

² Teligent holds CPCN No. T-392 to provide local exchange telecommunications services and CPCN No. TT-40A to provide interexchange telecommunications services, issued October 28, 1997, in Case No. PUC970124.

³ Affected customers received a notification letter dated November 13, 2001, and a reminder notice mailed on November 27, 2001.

northern Virginia and to discontinue its offering of local exchange telecommunications services.

(3) The local exchange tariff of Teligent of Virginia, Inc., Tariff VA S.C.C. No. 1, on file with the Division of Communications, is hereby canceled.

(4) There being nothing further to come before the Commission, this matter is dismissed.